

BEFORE THE ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA 1516 NINTH STREET, SACRAMENTO, CA 95814 1-800-822-6228 – WWW.ENERGY.CA.GOV

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION
For the RIDGECREST SOLAR
POWER PROJECT

DOCKET NO. 09-AFC-9

COMMITTEE ORDER GRANTING PETITION TO INTERVENE

Upon consideration of the Petition to Intervene filed by the Petitioner and Petitioner's counsel, the Committee designated to conduct proceedings in this matter makes the following findings:

1. On December 9, 2009, a Petition to Intervene in the above-captioned proceeding was filed by:

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- 2. The Petition was timely filed and contains the information required by section 1207 of the Commission's regulations (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 20, § 1207);
- 3. No opposition to said Petition has been filed; and
- 4. Petitioner's interests are relevant to the above-captioned proceeding.

THEREFORE, the Committee **ORDERS** that the Petition to Intervene in this matter be **GRANTED** and that Petitioner be placed upon the Proof of Service List as an Intervenor. Petitioner may exercise the rights and shall fulfill the obligations of a party as set forth in section1712 of the Commission's regulations. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 20, § 1712.)

The Committee will not permit unnecessary, irrelevant or unreasonably burdensome data requests and may, on the motion of a party or on its own motion, exercise its authority pursuant to sections 1203 and 1204 (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 20, §§ 1203, 1204) to enforce the provisions of section 1716, setting forth procedures for obtaining information (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 20, § 1716), in order to eliminate undue delay in the completion of these proceedings.

Further, the Executive Director or her designee shall ensure that Petitioner is immediately provided with a copy of the Application for Certification.

Dated on December 23, 2009, in Sacramento, California.

JAMES D. BOYD

Vice Chair and Presiding Member Ridgecrest Solar AFC Committee

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